IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences. Atty Dkt. SCS-124-1166 In re Patent Application of C# М# Confirmation No. 5828 TC/A.U.: 2886 SCOTT, et al Examiner: M. LaPage Serial No. 10/589,075 Filed: August 11, 2006 Date: April 15, 2010 SURFACE SHAPE MEASUREMENT APPARATUS AND METHOD Title: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. \boxtimes **NOTICE OF APPEAL** Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting \$540.00 (1401)/\$270.00 (2401) \$ applicant's claim(s). (\$540.00 Notice of Appeal fee previously paid March 13, 2009 without decision on the merits) An appeal **BRIEF** is attached in the pending appeal of the above-identified application \$540.00 (1402)/\$270.00 (2402) Credit for fees paid in prior appeal without decision on merits -\$ (A reply brief is attached. (no fee) Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review form attached. Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) One Month Extension \$130.00 (1251)/\$65.00 (2251) Two Month Extensions \$490.00 (1252)/\$245.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1110.00 (1253/\$555.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1730.00 (1254/\$865.00 (2254) "Small entity" statement attached.

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